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REPLY UNDER  
37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

PATENT  
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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Mamoru YAMADA Conf.:  
Appl. No.: 09/156,394 Group: 3743  
Filed: September 18, 1998 Examiner: C. ATKINSON  
For: HEAT EXCHANGING FIN AND METHOD OF  
MANUFACTURING THE SAME

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REPLY AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

March 7, 2001

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Final Office Action dated December 7, 2000, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application.

AMENDMENTS

In the Claims:

Please amend the claims as follows:

24. (Amended) The heat exchanging fin according to claim 21,

C! wherein there are no more than four of said radially extended